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Rebels Assume the Offensive.

Dreadful Indian Massacres.

IMPORTANT FROM EUROPE.

THE GARIBALDIAN DEMONSTRATION.

The U. S. revenue cutter Shubrick arrived at Port Angeles, W. T., on Saturday night, and her papers and mails to Aug. 26th, were brought to this place in a whale boat last evening at seven o'clock. The Shubrick made the run to Port Angeles in 72 hours. Lieut. Merryman, late deputy collector of customs at Port Townsend was arrested at San Francisco on the 19th Aug. when about to leave for the East on the steamer. He is held on a charge of embezzlement. Collector Smith is said to return with flying colors. The general news is highly important.

WASHINGTON, August 18.—Troops at the rate of 5000 a day are reaching Washington. Gov. Magoffin, of Kentucky, has resigned.

CAIRO, August 17.—The Granada Appeal of August 11th contains an account of the Baton Rouge fight, in which it acknowledges a severe repulse of Breckinridge, with a loss of 300. In a partial list of the rebels killed and wounded, are six field and company officers killed, and thirteen wounded. Among the killed are Gen. Chas. Clark of Mississippi, Colonel Allen, and Captain Alexander Todd, Mrs. Lincoln's brother.

Gen. Williams of the Federal forces was killed. Breckenridge lost his right arm. The rebels have been routed in Arkansas. The rebel ram Arkansas was destroyed by the Federal gunboat Essex.

The secession candidate for North Carolina has been defeated by the union candidate by a majority of 40,000.

Harrison's Landing was abandoned by the Federals on the 19th. McClellan has joined Pope.

Gen. Stone has been set at liberty. The village of Donaldson, 86 miles above New Orleans, was burned by the Federals because of harboring rebels.

The Federals now occupy Bayou Sara, seizing all the sugar and molasses. Halleck is ordering all the correspondents to leave the lines of the army.

NEW YORK, August 20th.—An army letter to the Times says: "The last soldier of the retiring army passed the Chickahominy at two o'clock on Tuesday morning. There has been no attack on the rear and no loss of any kind."

Two Federal gunboats were seized and armed by guerrillas near Paducah, Kentucky, yesterday.

NEW YORK, August 22.—The army is again on the march. An order to retreat was issued to-day. We understand that the whole army of Virginia is retreating. All sorts of rumors are afloat, that the whole army of Richmond is advancing; that the rebels are attempting to turn our left flank—in a word, that they are marching straight for Fredericksburg. Washington is thus threatened on the left flank.

The Southern country is completely overrun by guerrillas. Nothing like it was known before.

The conscription takes all between 18 and 35; then the militia takes between 35 and 50, leaving but few men at home for any purpose. All business is suspended.

In Mississippi nothing but war is thought of.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The Commercial says it has information that the junction of McClellan, Pope and Burnside's forces has been effected, we believe at Aquia Creek. The same paper says reliable advices from James' river state the rebels occupied Harrison's Landing, their pickets extending to the Chickahominy. Large portions of our gunboat flotilla, with the flag ship, are above Harrison's Landing, and would probably give the rebels a taste of their quality.

The special despatch to the World from Washington says it is openly asserted by emancipationists, that the long political struggle is drawing to a close, and that the President, overborne by the pressure brought upon him, will issue a decree giving freedom to all slaves, and this before the 15th of September.

WASHINGTON, August 23.—Although the Government has made no official announcement of the fact that a junction has been formed by the armies of McClellan and Pope, private news have been received

which leave no room to doubt. There is now little cause for anxiety in regard to the military progress in Virginia.

Commander Porter, the destroyer of the ram Arkansas, has been made a Commodore.

A special dispatch to the New York papers says: Baltimore papers say that since the order for drafting, over 5000 citizens of Maryland, between 18 and 40, have left the State for the South and Canada. The exodus is still going on at the rate of 300 to 500 a day.

The Grenada Appeal continues to assert that a general Confederate movement in the West is to take place immediately; that Tennessee will soon be in their possession. 2,000 guerrillas have burned all the bridges over Wolfscata River, between here and Raleigh, Tenn.

The country to the northward is represented to be constantly excited, in consequence of the depredations committed by men claiming to be Federal soldiers, but are probably rebels disguised.

The Tribune's Washington correspondent says, in justice to all parties it seems proper to state the following, which we learn from so many sources that it cannot longer be considered a State secret: Two or three weeks ago, the President laid before the Cabinet a proclamation of emancipation, abolishing slavery on the first of next December if the rebellion should not be crushed before. He asked the opinion of his Cabinet, touching the propriety of issuing it. Secretary Smith, we believe, was absent. Of the others all but two approved. Messrs. Seward and Blair opposed it with all their might, with what result it did not appear. It is understood that the subject came up in more than one Cabinet meeting, but Seward and Blair remained resolute in their opposition.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 22.—Reliable information from Fort Ridgely confirms the previous reported Indian troubles in that region. The Indians at the lower Sioux agency were threatening vengeance at some time, in consequence of the delay in the payments due them by the Government. An outbreak has finally occurred, and a great number of the whites in the vicinity have been massacred. Forty-five men sent against them fell into an ambush, after crossing the river near the agency. The greater number were killed—only 17 returned to the fort. On Monday night the light of burning buildings and grain stacks was seen in all directions. Escaped citizens came into the fort during the night, giving an account of horrors too terrible to imagine. Roads in the direction of New Ulm are lined with murdered women and children.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 23d.—Parties from the scene of the Indian disturbances reached here last night. The State scouts estimate the number of whites already killed at 500. It is believed that all the missionaries are killed. Civilized Indians exceeded their savage brethren in their atrocities.

The interpreter, Vanced Frencher, who has spent most of his life among the Indians, has volunteered to go alone, trusting to his knowledge of the Indians, and disguised to escape detection. Painted in the savage style, he arrived at the Upper Agency at night. The place was literally the habitation of death. He visited all the houses, and found the occupants lying dead, some inside the houses and others scattered in the yards. He went to Hon. J. R. Brown's house, and found the family, numbering 18, all murdered. He also visited Beaver Creek, and found 50 families massacred. He went to every house, and recognized the bodies as those of nearly all the families of former inhabitants.

Frencher writes to Governor Ramsey from Henderson, August 21st, saying he left Fort Ridgely at 5 o'clock that morning. There were then 1000 Indians around the fort. He thinks other tribes are joining the Sioux.

A reliable letter, dated Gienoe the 21st, says the injury done by the stampede of settlers is immense. Such scenes of woe and desolation can hardly be found anywhere south.

ST. PAUL, (Minnesota), August 23.—A message from the commanding officer at Fort Ridgely, dated 2nd inst., says: "We can hold this position but a little longer unless reinforced. We are being attacked almost hourly, and our little band is becoming exhausted. Col. Sibley, with 1,200 troops, will reach the Fort to-morrow."

CHICAGO, August 23.—Papers of the 21st say: It is thought that the Indians have been induced to commit those outrages by Indians from Missouri, and secession traders from that State.

CAIRO, August 23.—Accounts of the surrender of Clarksville, Tennessee, agree that it was disgraceful and cowardly. The Federal force under Col. Mason, consisting of the 71st Ohio, numbering 300 men, with two cannon and were well entrenched. They surrendered without firing a gun, to a force of rebels not exceeding from four to six hundred, and a large amount of Federal property was seized. Fort Donelson has been abandoned, that post being of no further consequence.

WASHINGTON, August 23.—The bounties to be paid by the Government to new volunteers, already amounts to seven millions four hundred thousand dollars.

CAIRO, August 24.—The Federal steamer Accacia, struck a snag in the Mississippi, and sunk, drowning 80 soldiers. The Federal ram Sumter went ashore near Bayou Sara, and was blown up.

NEW YORK, August 24.—John Slidell's property has been confiscated by Gen. Butler. An order has been issued, commanding the turning over to the United States of all arms in New Orleans. The French Consul asked that the French citizens might retain their arms for fear of servile insurrection, but Gen. Butler replied that protection would be given by the United States, in such cases, and insisted that all arms should be under his control.

The Brazilian Government has decided that after three years the Amazon and its tributaries shall be open to the commerce of all nations.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 24.—On Friday, the 22d, near Gallatin, Federal Gen. Johnson of Ky., with 700 men, attacked 1700 cavalry, under Morgan, and was defeated. Our loss was 300 taken prisoners, the remaining 400 escaped to Nashville.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23d.—The Philadelphia Press says Gen. Pope has fallen back across the Rappahannock, and made that stream the line of defence. The enemy in great force on the south bank, have made several ineffectual efforts to cross and turn his left flank, and at the same time are making demonstrations on our centre. Such disposition of our army has been made, that there need be no fears. Gen. McClellan has ar-

rived with a large portion of his army. It is believed that he has assumed command of both armies. Fighting of a desultory character, has been going on for several days. The enemy, there is no doubt, have been repulsed at all points by our batteries, though not without some loss of artillery, men and horses.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The Times has the following:

Bullow's Station, four miles north of Rappahannock Station, eight o'clock, a. m., 22d.—There is a lull in the firing at the river. Officers attached to Pope's headquarters have just arrived here, and say that a general engagement is not expected to-day, although our forces are in readiness.

Nine o'clock.—The cannonading is now frequent, interspersed with musketry, but further up the river, where Sigel's command is. The main baggage wagons commenced passing this Station at six o'clock this morning, and have taken the road to Warrenton Junction. Sigel's baggage train is now passing up the same road. This is only a necessary precaution against disaster, and must not be taken as an evidence that our army expect to get whipped.

EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE.

CAPT. RACE, Aug. 19th.—The Europa from Liverpool on the 9th, and Queenstown dates to the 10th, has arrived.

It is stated that Slidell had an interview with Napoleon, upon whom he urged the recognition of the Southern Confederacy. The Emperor is said to have admitted the cogency of the arguments held forth, but said the greatest barrier to the recognition of the South had been the objections of England.

Palmerston, in a speech at Sheffield, again advocated non-interference in American affairs.

Roebuck made a speech on the same occasion—took the opposite view from Palmerston, and urged the claims of the Confederacy to be such as entitled them to their recognition. It was stated that Mason and Slidell demanded [?] the recognition of the Southern Confederacy. It was said that England had refused the demand, but France had not yet replied.

Bourse, 68.25.

The Confederate steamer Merrimac and one called Two Hundred and Ninety, succeeded in escaping from the Tuscarora.

It is stated that Garibaldi refuses to obey Victor Emmanuel's proclamation. It is also stated that he had held a council of war on the 4th, at which it was determined to march on Rome, notwithstanding remonstrances from Turin. The enthusiasm for Garibaldi in Sicily was tremendous. It was reported that he would soon be at the head of fifty thousand men.

CAPT. RACE, Aug. 22.—The steamship Teutonia brings dates from Southampton to the 13th.

An Italian squadron at Ancona had been ordered to watch the Adriatic coast. Garibaldi, with 500 volunteers, was marching in the direction of San Catala. His object seems to be to reach Palermo, which was tranquil. A Garibaldi manifestation was taking place were raised: "Rome or death!" Garibaldi occupied Recco and Palunutta. At the latter place he harangued as follows: "The present state of affairs cannot continue. I go against the Government because it will not let me go to Rome. I go against France because she defends the Pope. I will have Rome at any price. Rome or death! If I succeed, so much the better; if not, I will destroy the Italy which I made myself."

The departure of volunteers from Palermo had ceased.

CAPT. RACE, Aug. 22. The following is additional news per Teutonia. The choicest men and officers of Versailles artillery are under orders for Mexico. The division of gunboats for the same country is being armed. The accounts of the harvest in France are very favorable.

The marriage of the Prince of Wales is to take place next following that of the Princess Alice. Although no positive arrangement has yet been made, the Princess Alexandra, of Denmark, is probably his intended bride. The distress in the cotton districts is increasing.

Agents are now in England seeking to contract in behalf of the Federal Government for a supply of arms. The contracts are proposed with a clause that they shall be void in case of a war with England.

The Times' city article says: If the weather had been unfavorable, the present tendency of the money market would have produced a panic.

CAPE RACE, 23d.—The steamer Kangaroo, Liverpool 13th, and Queenstown 14th, has arrived.

The Federal gunboat Tuscarora left Queenstown, owing to orders from Customs officials.

Garibaldi's movement is in statu quo.

Another correspondence between Minister Adams and Earl Russell has been published.

The Times editorially endorses Roebuck's recent speech, as far as his lecture to the North is concerned but totally dissents from his arguments favoring mediation, which it considers would do more harm than good.

The Daily News bitterly reviews Roebuck's speech, and says his course is the lowest depth of degradation, but happily his opinion long since ceased to have any value. The article compliments the American Government for its friendly and straightforward dealings with England.

The St. Petersburg Journal reiterates the desire of the Russian Government to see the conflict in America settled by compromise. Many cotton mills in Lancashire have stopped.

[From the San Francisco Bulletin, Aug. 25.]

The News.

Troops from the West, probably the bulk of Halleck's late army of the Mississippi, are said to be pouring into Virginia by the way of Harper's Ferry. Gen. Cox's army from Western Virginia is arriving at Washington. Pope seems to have made good his retreat across the Rappahannock, northward, and to have sent his army baggage up toward Warrenton Junction, in spite of the enemy's repeated efforts to turn his flank, and cut off the baggage trains. Gen. McClellan is believed to be in command of both armies and to have successfully repulsed with his batteries assaults made "at all points" upon his lines.

When the whole story is told, we expect to hear that there has been a good deal of fighting to effect the junction of the two Union armies. Our dispatches convey much interesting news from other quarters than Virginia, but what is done in the West or the South has little bearing on the great issue—that is

to be determined in the vicinity of the Rappahannock.

Foreign affairs wear a brighter aspect. Grumbling John Bull gives evidence in spite of a wretched way of showing it, that his head is sound even if his heart is not quite in the right place. To all Napoleon's entreaties to interfere, he sturdily answers that he will not, and that meditation will only make matters worse. England is sensible again, notwithstanding her bad temper, and her lucid intervals come offener and tarry longer than they did awhile ago.

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4. The Committee will not be responsible for providing employment for any one.

5. Arrangements will be made without delay, by which it is hoped the Committee will be enabled to give useful information to immigrants who may wish to settle in the Island.

6. Subscribers are invited from any persons desirous to assist in carrying out the above objects, and will be received at the office of the Committee and at the Bank of British North America.

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There is, perhaps, no country in the world at the present time that presents a more interesting study to the historian, the politician, or the general reader, than the Russian Empire. To us who centuries ago were undergoing a change from a semi-barbarous state into one which foreshadowed our present free and enlightened condition, that country presents a picture of what might have been the fate of the British Islands had the feudal age been continued to the present time. In Russia the various stages of political growth, which in most other countries of Europe were the work of generations, extending over a long period of time, are being carried out at this late period of its existence with a rapidity almost certain to be productive of considerable internal disarrangement. In order to form a proper opinion of the magnitude of the changes that have taken place and which yet require to be effected to place that vast empire in anything like a stable position among the nations of Europe, it will be necessary to take a superficial glance at the elements of which it is composed, and the manner in which they affect each other and influence the national progress. Until lately it was common among writers on Russian affairs to divide the inhabitants of the empire into serfs and free men, and the latter into peasants, clergy, bureaucracy, nobility, the military and the Emperor and his ministers. Something like two years ago the Emperor decreed the emancipation of the serfs and allotted them a plot of ground to be paid for by compulsory service to their owner extending over a certain period of time, subject, however, to commutation upon payment to their former proprietors of a sum of money fixed by law. This measure, changing as it did the condition of 22,000,000 of souls, originated with the Emperor and a minority of the more intelligent and wealthy nobles. It was strongly opposed by the majority of the nobles and the class known as the bureaucracy, and was only carried with great difficulty, and after long delay. One would naturally suppose that so great a boon would be universally felt to be productive of immense benefit to the country. No doubt, to some extent it has done good; but apart from the confusion at first resulting from so vital and sudden a change in the condition of so vast a number of people, there were many circumstances tending to prevent the emancipation measure from effecting all that that was expected from it. Among the circumstances just alluded to is the national element known as the bureaucracy. By this term is generally designated the great body of officials that cover the empire like a vast net-work, including all the grades of civil service from the policeman to the minister. Nearly every country has its bureaucracy; we have a little of it ourselves; but nowhere does it present the administration evoked by an autocracy, it has almost enslaved its authors. Most people labor under the idea, when they heard the Emperor of Russia spoken of, that he is the ruler, that 'tis he who governs the empire. This is true in theory, but in fact the Emperor reigns and the officials govern. The institution that was created to keep the Emperor informed of everything that took place in his realm—that was to extend its ramifications through all classes of society like so many nerves of a great animated body, centering in the Czar as the head, that he might feel how the pulse of that mighty empire continued under every circumstance to beat, and through which he was to act upon the people as he deemed necessary for the safety and benefit of his subjects—that very institution has been the means of preventing all that it was intended to effect; instead of acting for the Emperor and the good of the nation, they have sought only to prevent the Emperor from obtaining a true knowledge of the condition and wants of his people, they have misrepresented the true state of affairs to him and procured the proclamation of such measures only as suited the interest of their class. Steeped to the very lips in venality and corruption, bound together by the links of mutual benefit and official subordination they have made victims of all outside their own class. The nobility, the military, the clergy, and the remainder of the community, alike suffer from them in their turn. Whether it be in the court of justice, or in the military, or in the governmental departments nothing can be done without bribery. Mammon rules mammon is supreme. Such being the state of things we cease to wonder that so well disposed a monarch as Alexander II. has shown himself to be should find that however laudable might be his intentions towards the amelioration of the backward condition of his people, and whatever steps he may take for the purpose of effecting that object, so long as he leaves the government of the country to be administered by the class of officials brought up under the old regime, so long will all his efforts be in vain.

For some years past Russia has been approaching a national bankruptcy. The long and expensive war was waged in Circassia and Georgia; the Crimean war so exhausting to even a well-governed country; the monstrous system of peculation and embezzlement pervading every department of administration both civil and military, coupled with the evils naturally resulting from misgovernment, have completely drained the country and left it in a state of utter prostration. The consequence is that the people are suffering and are discontented. They are ripe to receive those ideas respecting government which have for some years past been affecting nearly every other country in Europe. The march of intelligence has begun even among them; schools and public literature have instructed them sufficiently to enable them to draw contrasts between their condition and that of their neighbors, and there is no lack of forward men from a patriotic, intelligent and traveled upper class among the nobility, who, perceiving the monstrous abuses existing in the country—the utter insignificance of the position they themselves must continue to occupy under the present, are anxious to have a thorough reorganization of the Government. The liberal ideas disseminated by them have germinated among the masses of the people and even the army itself—taken, for the most part, from the peasantry or serfs has become infected. The consequence is that although many reforms have already been granted by the Emperor and much good has

been done, yet the root of the evil, the old bureaucratic system has not been touched, and the people perceiving that they have not been fairly dealt with so long as it is suffered to remain, have thought to compel the Emperor to more active and radical reforms. They have repeated to Alexander the lesson they taught Napoleon. We are glad, however, to perceive that the Emperor, while determined to punish with the utmost severity the authors of those vast conflagrations which have caused so great a destruction of property in various parts of the Empire, is resolved nevertheless not to cease from the good work he has begun. One thing only can save the country from disintegration, and that is the abolition of the old absolute system and the introduction of a representative system for all classes.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

A CAMEO REASTON, PORTRAIT of a young man, who has been dropped on Beacon Hill. Whoever has found the same, and will return it to the office of this paper will receive 10 shillings reward. sel 21*

Rock Salt, TIMOTHY HAY, SHINGLES, TURNIPS, For sale by C. C. CUSHMAN, Wharf street, sel 31

Buckskins for Sale. ABOUT SIX HUNDRED FINE BUCKSKINS, well dressed, will be sold cheap. sel 1w

Wholesale and Retail Grocer and Provision dealer, corner Humboldt and Government streets. sel 1w

Union Hook and Ladder Co. A MEETING OF THE MEMBERS will be held in the Truck House THIS (Monday) EVENING, at half past 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Foreman. sel 1t

BRITISH STEAMER "THAMES." NEITHER THE OWNERS NOR CAPTAIN will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above ship. sel 1w

E. STAMP & CO., Wharf street, sel 1w

Consignees' Notice. THE SCREW STEAMER "THAMES," from London, will commence discharging on Monday, September 1st, at the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf. Consignees will please present bills of lading and pay freight at the office of E. STAMP & CO., Wharf street. sel 1w

N. B.—Goods not taken away by 5 o'clock, p. m., will be stored at the risk and expense of the owner. sel 1w

Trade Licenses Act, 1860. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Assessment Roll for the half year commencing 1st JULY, 1862, was finally passed by the Revisors on the 25th instant, and that the amounts so assessed are required to be paid into the Treasury within ten days thereafter (that is to say, on or before the 4th SEPTEMBER) failing which, the Sheriff is empowered by the Act to levy the same by distress. sel 1w

ALEXANDER WATSON, Treasurer. sel 1w

VICTORIA THEATRE. GRAND GALA NIGHT! In honor of and under the patronage of His Worship the Mayor AND COUNCILLORS Of the City of Victoria. sel 1w

ON MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 1st, 1862, at 8 o'clock, P. M., will be performed, Pantomime, Burlesque Extravaganza, of SHYLOCK, Or, The Merchant of Venice Preserved. An entirely new reading of Shakespeare. sel 1w

SHYLOCK. Mr. John Wood. PORTIA. Miss Lulu Sweet. sel 1w

During the Piece a variety of Songs, etc. sel 1w

Favorite Ballad. Miss Lulu Sweet. Favorite Ballad. Mr. J. E. Myers. sel 1w

To conclude with (by request) the laughable Farce of THE LOTTERY TICKET. sel 1w

Wormwood. Mr. JOHN WOOD. Susan. Miss Clara Dean. sel 1w

Prices—\$1.50 and \$1.00. sel 1w

Fruit! Fruit! Fruit! THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT street, where all kinds of Oregon, California and Tropical fruits (fresh and preserved) are sold wholesale and retail. sel 1w

Having made arrangements in Oregon and California, the proprietor feels justified in saying that he can supply the Trade, as well as Families, as low as the lowest. sel 1w

One and all please give us a call and satisfy yourselves. sel 1w

J. F. SAUNDERS. sel 1w

Now Landing, ex "Thames," THE FOLLOWING NEW GOODS: sel 1w

PRINTED CALICOES AND CAMBRICS, Mantles, Children's Mantle Jackets, Children's Dresses, Linen and Union Diapers, Towelling, Handkerchiefs, Table Cloths, Cambric Handkerchiefs, Shawls, Gambroon, a material for Boys' Clothing, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery, Socks, &c. sel 1w

Ladies' Reticules, Leather Bags, Princess Royal Companions, Purse, &c. sel 1w

Also— Gent's and Boys' Felt Hat, Caps, Ties, Braces, Half Hose, and Shirt Collars, Cream and Grey Serge Shirts. sel 1w

THE VANCOUVER COAL-MINING CO., LIMITED. Incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1856 and 1857, whereby the Liabilities of the Shareholders are limited to the Amount of their Shares. Capital £100,000, in 10,000 Shares of £10 each. Deposit £1 per share on application, and £1 10s. on Allotment. sel 1w

DIRECTORS: Hon. Mr. JUSTICE HALBURTON, M. P., Chairman of the Canadian Land and Emigration Company. sel 1w

GEORGE CAMPBELL, Esq., (H. N. Dickson & Co., London; Dickson, Campbell & Co., Victoria. V. I.; Dickson, De Wolf & Co., San Francisco.) sel 1w

Hon. C. W. WENTWORTH FITZPATRICK, M. P., Alwalton, Teterborough. sel 1w

JOSEPH FRY, Esq., (Messrs. Trueman & Fry, Gresham House) Director of the Canada Agency Association. sel 1w

JAMES V. H. IRWIN, Esq., F. R. G. S., 7, Hereford Square, South Kensington. sel 1w

PRIDEAUX SELBY, Esq., 4, Lowndes Street, Director of the Canada Agency Association. sel 1w

Solicitors—Messrs. Freshfields & Newman, Bank Buildings. sel 1w

Bankers—Messrs. Tobaris, Labbok & Co., London; The Chartered Bank of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, Victoria. sel 1w

Broker—C. W. Price, Esq., 54 Threadneedle Street. sel 1w

Secretary—H. Winfield Grace, Esq. sel 1w

Offices—36 Gresham House, Old Broad Street. Resident Manager at Nanaimo. sel 1w

C. J. NICOL, Esq. Application for shares to be made to DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Wharf street. sel 1w

AUCTION. Wednesday, September 3d, At 11 o'clock A. M., J. A. McCREA AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET, WILL HOLD A SPECIAL CREDIT SALE. sel 1w

Invoices ex Steamer Thames, from London. TO BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE, CLOTHING, from the Celebrated House of K. Wilhelm's, Cheapside London, Consisting of, in part— sel 1w

Inverness Capes, Black Cloth Pants, Angola suits, Milton and French Coats, Cheviot Suits, Morning Coats, Chesterfield Coats, Traveling Capes, Pilot Reefers, Assorted Vests. sel 1w

N. B.—The above are all of the best quality of CUSTOM-MADE CLOTHING. sel 1w

Matches and Pipes. —Gross Wax Vestas, in Japanese boxes, (Bell & Block's); Silver Mounted Brier Wood Pipes; Amber Mouth Pieces. sel 1w

DRAPER. 9-8ths and 5-4ths Fancy Prints, silk, Bandanna and Col'd Handkerchiefs, Fine Hem-stitched Linen Handkerchiefs for Ladies and Gentlemen, Montmorency Robes, Linen Table Covers and Napkins, 4-4th Diaper and Buckram, Black Maltese Lace Falls, Embroidered Cambric Collars, Gannet and Penelope Sets, 35-inch Hosiery's Long Cloths, Shirtings, Cravats, Royal and Pink Velvet, West of England Cloths, (scarlet and blue.) sel 1w

Hosiery and Underclothing. Ladies' and Gent's best quality fine Merino and Cotton Hose; Fine Merino Undershirts and Pants; Amber Mouth Pieces. sel 1w

—ALSO— Heavy, Blue and Grey Serge Shirts, double backs; Garibaldi Cord Pants; Men's Twilled Regatta Shirts; Heavy Hosiery Overshirts; Drab Cord Pants; Hunter's Cord Pants; Madras Printed Handkerchiefs; Butcher Knives (4, 5, and 6 inches.) sel 1w

TERMS AT SALE. J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer. sel 1w

Lytton Steam Sawmill. A ONE-HALF INTEREST IN THIS property is now offered for sale to close a partnership. For particulars apply to G. B. WRIGHT, at Lytton, B. C., or MORTIMER COOR, Lytton City. sel 1w

Agri-cultural & Horticultural SOCIETY. —OF— VANCOUVER ISLAND. sel 1w

August 20th, 1862. A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Horticultural Society was held this day at the office of James Lowe, Esq. sel 1w

Present—Dr. Tolmie, President; Mr. A. C. Anderson, Vice President; Messrs. James Lowe, D. Leneveu, J. T. Pidwell. sel 1w

On motion, ordered that the Exhibition be held on the 1st day of October next, and that the following be the

PREMIUM LIST FOR THIS YEAR. CLASS A. SECTION 1—STALLIONS. sel 1w

For the best Stallion for agricultural purposes \$10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the best thorough bred Stallion 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 sel 1w

SECTION 2—BROOD MARES. For the best brood Mare for agricultural purposes 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the best thorough bred brood Mare 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 sel 1w

CLASS B. SECTION 3—BULLS. For the best yearling, calved after the 1st of January, 1861 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the 3rd best do. do. 3 00 For the best two years old, calved after the 1st of January, 1860 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 3 00 For the 3rd best do. do. 2 00 For the best three years old, calved after the 1st of January, 1859 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best Bull of any age 10 00 For the best pair of Working Oxen 8 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 4 00 sel 1w

SECTION 4—HEIFERS AND COWS. For the best yearling, calved after the 1st of January, 1861 3 00 sel 1w

MISCELLANEOUS. For 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best two-year old, calved after the 1st of January, 1860 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 3 00 For the best three-year old, calved after the 1st of January, 1859 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best Cow of any age 10 00 sel 1w

SECTION 5—RAMS. For the best ram lamb, lambed after the 1st of January, 1862 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 3 00 For the best Hogget or Gimmer, lambed after the 1st of January, 1861 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the best 2 shear, lambed after the 1st of January, 1860 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best Ram of any age 5 00 sel 1w

SECTION 6—EWES AND LAMBS. For the best pen of 5 Lambs, lambed after the 1st of January, 1862 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 3 00 For the best pen of 5 Ewes 8 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 3 00 sel 1w

For the best two samples of wool: The best fleece of fine wool 5 00 " " by length of staple 5 00 sel 1w

SECTION 7—DOGS. For the best Dog 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 sel 1w

SECTION 8—SEWS. For the best brood Sow 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the best Sow with sucking litter 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 sel 1w

CLASS C. SECTION 9. For the best bushel of Wheat 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best bushel of Barley 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 sel 1w

For the best bushel of Oats 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best bushel of field Peas 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best bushel of field Beans 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 sel 1w

For the best samples of Timothy, Clover, Rye, and Grass Seeds, in quantities of not less than one peck, each 2 00 For the best samples of Garden Seeds 3 00 sel 1w

SECTION 10—FIELD GROWTH. For the best 6 field growth Swedish Turnips 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 6 Bullock Turnips 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 6 roots of Mangelwurzel 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 6 Carrots, 12 roots 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best bushel of Potatoes produced 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 12 Parsnips 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 6 Cabbage-heads 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 sel 1w

CLASS D. SECTION 11—DAIRY PRODUCE. For the best Butter, not less than 5 lbs. 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best Cheese, not less than 5 lbs. 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 10 lbs. of Bacon 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 sel 1w

CLASS E. SECTION 12—FRUIT AND VEGETABLE—GARDEN PRODUCE. For the best 10 Apples 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 10 Pears 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 2 lbs. Cherries 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 6 lbs. Gooseberries 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 6 lbs. Tomatoes 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 2 heads of Cabbage of the variety "the cultivator," each variety 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 1 bunch Beets, each variety 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 6 heads Celery 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 6 fruit of the Egg Plant 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 2 heads of Cauliflower 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 2 sweet Melons 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 2 Water Melons 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 For the best 2 Squashes 2 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 00 sel 1w

Best bunch of Carrots, each variety 1 00 Best bunch of Onions 3 00 Best bushel of Ash Leaf Kidney Potatoes 3 00 sel 1w

CLASS F. For the Best pair of Turkeys 3 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 00 For the best 10 Ducks 3 50 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 50 For the best 10 Fowls 2 50 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 50 For the best 10 Rabbits 2 50 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 50 For the best 10 doz. Eggs 2 50 For the 2nd best do. do. 1 50 sel 1w

CLASS G. SECTION 14—AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, IMPORTED. Exhibited by the manufacturer or others, to be admitted free of charge, and shall receive a judge's Honorary Certificate. sel 1w

HOME MANUFACTURES. For the best Agricultural Wagon 10 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 5 00 For the best Spring Wagon 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 50 For the best Plough 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 50 For the best Harness 2 50 sel 1w

CLASS H. SECTION 15—FLOWERS. For the best bouquet of Flowers 5 00 For the 2nd best do. do. 2 50 For the 3d best do. do. 1 00 sel 1w

REGULATIONS OF THE SHOW-YARD. All Cows, Heifers, Mares, Sheep, and Pigs, also all Agricultural Implements, must be taken to the Show-yard between the hours of 2 and 7 p. m., the evening previous to the Show. sel 1w

All Stallions and Bulls, also, Vegetables, Fruits, Flowers, &c., &c., must be taken into the Show-yard between the hours of 5 and 6 a. m., on the day of the exhibition. Exhibitors to provide feed. sel 1w

The Judges of the different Departments will commence their duties at 7 o'clock in the morning and will finish at 10, at which hour the public will be admitted by paying the sum of one dollar. sel 1w

At 2 o'clock the Show-yard will be open to the public free, and at half past 2 the auction of animals, and other produce will commence—when the owner feels disposed to sell. sel 1w

The owner has the privilege of putting an up-set price upon each animal or other produce to be disposed of. sel 1w

Resident non-subscribers, by paying an entrance fee of two dollars, will be allowed the privilege of competing at the Society's Show of 1862. sel 1w

All foreign Bulls, Stallions, Rams and Boars, also Agricultural Implements, will be allowed to compete free of entrance fees at the Society's Show of 1861. sel 1w

Every exhibitor of field Peas, Beans, Grain, and Green Crops, shall have a label upon each, stating, Where the seed was obtained; The number of acres, rods, or perches from which the samples were selected; What crops preceded it; What manure was applied; And what was the produce per acre, rod, or perch. sel 1w

The Secretary should get fifteen days' notice from each exhibitor, stating accurately the number of animals and their ages, also other products he or she intends to exhibit. sel 1w

The Judges are instructed to award no premiums where they consider the animals or other produce not worthy of such distinction. sel 1w

The members of the Society, on producing their cards, shall be admitted into the Show-yard after the Judges have completed their duties. sel 1w

All Cereals, Vegetables, Fruits and Flowers to be of Island growth of this year; those to which prizes are awarded to be the property of the Society. sel 1w

The Bacon and Ham to be Island produce. sel 1w

On motion, ordered, that to enable the Directors to carry out the plan laid down in the last meeting, the Board would urge upon the public the necessity of the speedily paying a fee for a design for the disposal of this Society; to be used for the advancement of Agriculture. sel 1w

He felt convinced that such a request would meet the approval of the House of Assembly and the Government. sel 1w

J. T. PIDWELL, Secretary. sel 1w

AUCTION SALES. THIS DAY, MONDAY, Sept. 1st, 1862, At 11 o'clock, A. M., J. A. McCREA, WILL SELL AT HIS SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET. sel 1w

20 hr bbls Crushed Sugar; 20 hr bbls S. I. Sugar; 4 cs Oregon Hams and Shoulders sel 1w

—ALSO— Coffee, Butter, Pickles, Candles, Soap, Flour, Lard, Beef, etc. sel 1w

—ALSO— One Chest and contents, By order of the Public Administrator. sel 1w

DONALD MACRAE, Wholesale and Commission Merchant, AND AUCTIONEER, WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I. (Opposite the Post Office.) sel 1w

17 Cash Advances on Consignments for PRIVATE OR AUCTION SALES. sel 1w

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, French China. sel 1w

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF ABOVE goods constantly in Store and for sale at lowest rates. sel 1w

Clocks, —OF THE— New Haven Clock Co.'s Manufacture (FORMERLY THE JEROME CO) sel 1w

For which we are SOLE AGENTS FOR CALIFORNIA. HAYNES & LAWTON, 516 Sansome street, corner of Merchant, S. F., J. E. 3m 1w

DR. BURTON'S Balsamic Compound, For the Speedy and Radical Cure of Diseases of the Urinary Organs. sel 1w

THIS IS A REMEDY WHICH requires no assistance. It performs its duty quickly and thoroughly, leaving no injurious effect either to the constitution or to the part affected. sel 1w

It is the result of long experience and close observation in a great number of cases, and has been invariably successful where other medicines or treatment have failed; thus proving itself to be a remedy long required by the public. sel 1w

Price—One Dollar per Bottle. For sale by Druggists everywhere. Sole Agents for the Pacific Coast, CHARLES LANGLEY, Wholesale Druggist, 300 Commercial St., near Front St., San Francisco. LANGLEY BROS. Sole Agents for Victoria, V. I. J. E. 3m 1w

TO THE COUNCILLORS of the City of Victoria. sel 1w

GENTLEMEN, assuming that the office of Clerk to the Council, should be filled by some one acquainted with the principles and practice of the law, inasmuch as matters of a legal nature will constantly be brought under your consideration, and by-laws will have to be prepared and passed for the due governance of the City, I venture to offer myself as a candidate for such office. sel 1w

My qualifications are these: I am an Attorney and Solicitor of 17 years standing; I filled the office of Town Clerk, and Clerk to the Town Council of the Borough of East Loos, in the County of Cornwall, England, for upwards of 10 years, and, with all due submission, an willing to enter into a competitive examination with any other candidate, as to capability and fitness for the discharge of the said duties; and that, to which, if you do me the honor to elect me, I pledge myself faithfully to perform. sel 1w

I am, Gentlemen, with much respect, Your most Obedient Servant, ROBERT BISHOP. Gov. st., Victoria, August 18, 1862. sel 1w

The Bankruptcy Act, 1862. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT I am acting in the liquidation of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1862, against GEO. E. NIAS, of Victoria, trader, died, on the 13th day of August, 1862, grant the discharge of the said Bankrupt, and that such discharge will be delivered to the said Bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court. sel 1w

THOS. G. WILLIAMS, Registrar. sel 1w

Cricketers, Attention! ALL PERSONS FEELING AN INTEREST in the Manly Game of "CRICKET" sel 1w

Are requested to attend a Meeting to be held at the ASHLEY HOTEL, on Monday next, the 1st Sept., at 8 o'clock, P. M., to name a Committee and to take the other necessary steps to form a Cricket Club. sel 1w

JOHN C. KEENE, JOHN T. HOWARD. sel 1w

A. F. MAIN & CO., Merchandise and Money Brokers, OFFICE ON FORT STREET, Above Marvin & Co.'s Hardware Store. sel 1w

Loans Negotiated. Victoria, V. I., August 26, 1862. sel 1w

A. P. EVERETT, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES. sel 1w

Tenders WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE of the Municipal Council (over the Police Court), until the 1st of September, for a design for the Corporation Seal for the City of Victoria, and a Premium of Twenty-five Dollars will be awarded to such design as may be accepted by the Council. sel 1w

By order of the Mayor. ALGERNON AUSTEN, Clerk to the Council, per tem. sel 1w

NOTICE. THE "VICTORIA PRICES CURRENT AND SHIPPING LIST" will in future be published regularly three times a month. From the present date until further notice the days of publication will be the 1st, 10th and 20th of every month. Due notice will be given of any alteration. sel 1w

LUMBER! LUMBER! 100,000 FEET ASSORTED PUGET Sound Lumber. For sale, cheap, by Victoria Coal & Lumber Co., City Wharf, sel 1w

AUCTION SALES. P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant. SALESROOM, No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street, au 13

PHILAN'S BILLIARD TABLES. AGENCY. I AM APPOINTED THE AGENT FOR above Vancouver Island and British Columbia of the above sel 1w

BILLIARD TABLES, And am authorized to sell at SAN FRANCISCO PRICES, Freight and Charges added. sel 1w

P. M. BACKUS. Billiard Tables. TWO PHILAN & HUGHES' Best San Francisco make, Wood Bed, entirely New sel 1w

Billiard Tables, With Balls, Cues and Racks, Complete, now in Store and for sale at a bargain. sel 1w

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THE LATE NEWS.
The late news from all parts of the world, brought by the Shubrick, will be found on the First Page.

Theatricals and Critics.

Certainly, two or three professed "critics" who dropped in at the theatre on Saturday evening last (as "deadheads" of course) and watched the performances with an air of owl-like wisdom, were sadly disappointed at not finding on the stage a Keon, a Booth, a Forrest or a Siddons, and did not fail to express their disappointment, in unmeasured terms, after the "show" was over. These "critics" do not stop to consider that Victoria, being one or two sizes smaller than London, New York, Dublin, or San Francisco, is hardly able, in its present infantile state, to support a company in as respectable a style as those cities. They also forget that when they attempt to draw a comparison between what they saw "at home" and what they see here, they but succeed in rendering themselves supremely ridiculous in the eyes of persons who, although they may have seen quite as much good acting as the would-be "critics," have still the good sense and fairness to acknowledge that our theatricals are highly creditable, when the size of the town and the limited support which even the very best company would receive, is considered. Nor is the theatrical profession the only sufferer from the complaints of these bigots. Not only are they dissatisfied and disgusted with the theatre, but they are "down on" everything else in the country. The mutton is tough—the beef has too much bone—the pork is scrupulous—the vegetables are watery,—the best farming lands are arid wastes—the mineral resources are mythical—Cariboo is a humbug, and Stickeen has "gone in." Nothing is like the counties they have left. There every interest prospered—there every dollar a man invested earned him two in the course of a twelvemonth; the lands flowed with "milk and honey;" the meats were so tender and juicy that they melted in their mouths,—in short, they have left a Paradise and emigrated to a hell upon earth. Such are the class of people who have grumbled and growled ever since their arrival here; who are attempting to retard the progress of the country. Too lazy to work themselves, they try to frighten and dishearten those who wish to do something, and have been the means of driving scores of good men from the country, who, had they not met with their evil geni in the shape of these "critics," might have become useful citizens and acquired rapid fortunes in the very country from which they have allowed themselves to be frightened. The theatre-folks, too, are well nigh disgusted at their treatment here. They do not profess to be "stars." They came here as plain, unpretending artists seeking to earn an honest livelihood, and, in return for the dollars of our people, furnish cheap, rational and instructive amusement. As such they are deserving of hearty support; their presence here aids and benefits the town and every interest in it. If they are ambitious and aspire to positions above the ordinary run of the profession, who can blame them? Is not honorable ambition creditable? and if the public support them in their laudable efforts, what right has Tom, Dick or Harry—who, perhaps, enters the theatre on the free-lie—to deny their merits and shout "humbug." If he had paid his money he might have some show of right in his efforts to injure the business reputations of the performers; but in the relation which he stands to the company for the time being, he should have the good sense—saying nothing about decency—to keep his eyes closed to their faults. Abuse under such circumstances is like enjoying the hospitality of a man and then going abroad and abusing the character of his estates or the quality of his drinkables. There are humbugs in every profession, and, we regret to say, that in this country they are not confined to the theatrical profession.

FOUND DROWNED.—The dead body of an unknown man was found floating in Lillooet Lake, on the Harrison-Lillooet trail, six days ago, by several returning Caribooites. The remains had evidently lain in the water a long while, and are supposed to be those of some unfortunate man who lost his life while attempting to cross the lake on the ice last winter. The clothes were quite rotten and a towel was found tied around the neck of the corpse, evidently to protect the wearer's neck from the cold. It was announced that an inquest would be held on Thursday.

GETTING CHEAPER.—Provisions at Cariboo are becoming much cheaper in the upper country. At Lillooet flour is selling for 12½ @ 13 cents per pound—other articles in proportion. At the Forks of Quesselle, flour has declined to 50 cents per pound, and on Lightning Creek, we are told, is selling for \$1 per pound, and the prospects are that the markets will be glutted with goods shortly, in consequence of the large number of men who have left the diggings.

NEAR BY.—This harbor is situated on the American side of the Straits near Cape Flattery, and affords a secure place of refuge for wind-bound vessels. The Indian Agent of the American government is engaged in cutting a road into the interior and several fine farms have been taken up there recently. A heavy business in the dogfish oil line is transacted in this quarter. The Indians are quite numerous, and being expert fishermen bring in large quantities of the oil every season.

PERFORMANCE TO-NIGHT.—The performance at the theatre to-night will be under the distinguished patronage of the Mayor and Town Council.

IN AT LAST.—The steamer Thames arrived on Saturday morning last. She is consigned to Messrs. Stamp & Co., and will commence discharging this morning.

ARRIVAL OF THE "ENTERPRISE."—The steamer Enterprise, with 115 passengers and \$50,000 in gold dust, arrived on Saturday evening last from New Westminster.

BUTE INLET.—About eighty men were engaged on Saturday to work on the Bute Inlet wagon-road.

THE MILES TAYLOR.—The new line of Nicaragua steamers is to sail on Tuesday, Oct. 21st.

THE MAIL STEAMER.—The Pacific has up for this port to sail on the 27th ult.

Cricket.

The match, last Saturday, between eleven of the New-comers, who have been here less than three months; and eleven made up of the Victoria Club and those who have been here more than three months, resulted in favor of the former with seven wickets to spare. The play of some of the New-comers was very good, especially Howlett, Tye, Wallace and Balantyne: and of the other side, Whittaker, Young, Howard and Hamilton, showed good cricket. The game passed off very pleasantly and the weather, of course, very fine. There were several hundreds of spectators on the ground and among them a good sprinkling of ladies. The following is the score:

VICTORIA ELEVEN.

1st Innings.

Howard, b Howlett,.....	0
Clark, b Howlett,.....	0
Good, b Wallace,.....	0
Whittaker, b Howlett,.....	10
Young, c Elliott b Wallace,.....	3
Webster, c Elliott b Wallace,.....	2
Keenan, l. b. w. b Howlett,.....	8
Hamilton, b Wallace,.....	2
Trollope, not out,.....	1
Cary, b Howlett,.....	0
Byes 10. Wides 1.....	11
Total,.....	41

2d Innings.

Howard, c Wallace b Howlett,.....	4
Hensley, c Howlett b Wallace,.....	0
Clark, not out,.....	0
Good, c Wallace,.....	1
Whittaker, c Chisholm b Balantyne,.....	21
Young, b Holland,.....	10
Webster, b Howlett,.....	13
Hamilton, b Wallace,.....	5
Hamilton, b Wallace,.....	5
Trollope, c Edmonston b Wallace,.....	1
Cary, run out,.....	0
Byes 10. Wides 4.....	14
Total,.....	77

NEW COMERS.

1st Innings.

Wallace, run out,.....	5
Chisholm, b Howard,.....	3
Balantyne, b Hamilton,.....	6
Howlett, c Howard, b Whittaker,.....	31
Tye, b Trollope,.....	14
Edmonston, c Hensley b Howard,.....	0
Holland, c Webster b Hamilton,.....	0
Whittaker,.....	0
Hickman, not out,.....	0
Keat, b Trollope,.....	3
Peakes, c Howard,.....	4
Byes 5. Wides 4. No balls 2.....	11
Total,.....	88

2d Innings.

Wallace, b Young,.....	1
Chisholm, b Howard,.....	6
Balantyne, not out,.....	16
Howlett, c Young b Howard,.....	0
Tye, not out,.....	4
Byes 4.....	4
Total,.....	31

RECAPITULATION.

Victoria Eleven, grand total,.....	118
New Comers, grand total,.....	119
With 7 wickets to fall.	

Later from British Columbia.

The Enterprise came down from New Westminster on Saturday evening, bringing one hundred and fifteen passengers, \$50,000 in treasure besides considerable sums in the hands of many passengers.

We have conversed with a gentleman who left Van Winkle Creek on the 18th ult., and who made the trip to Port Douglas in 8½ days, having traveled down the Lillooet River in a canoe, and making the last portage (30 miles) in three hours. When our informant left Van Winkle he was carrying by the cargo at 80 cents, beans, 80¢; bacon 90¢; to 50¢, with few purchasers as prices were tending downwards. Flour had been sold on the Quesselle River at 50¢, and at Williams Lake for 32¢. The surplus thrown into the market during the next six weeks would be far greater than that which remained at the close of the mining season last fall.

Judge Biggie was holding Court at Van Winkle on the 18th ult. He was also receiving proposals for the erection of Government buildings at that place. O'Reilly was the local magistrate, while Elwin made his headquarters at Antler.

Bishop Hill and party would start down on their return in a few days. The Bishop took the altitude of Snow-shoe Mountain, between Lightning and Williams Creek (not the highest peak by any means) and found it to be 8496 feet above the level of the sea.

The trails are still in a frightful condition, but the packers have strong hopes of an improvement for the better as the rains have ceased and the sun shines out in all its regal splendor for at least fifteen hours each day.

The report of the loss of life by canoe travel on the Fraser below Mud Lake is confirmed, but the number is set down at three instead of eight, as heretofore reported. From the appearance of the blankets and bundles (in the hands of the Indians) which were examined by our informant, the supposition is that the unfortunate men were natives of Canada.

Mr. Gembertz, formerly Assistant Gold Commissioner to Judge Nind, has been appointed Postmaster at Williams Lake, and has entered upon the discharge of his duty.

Mr. Jeffrey's has several horses in training at Williams Lake for the fall races at that place, which are to commence on the 25th inst.

The mining news is of very little interest, nothing new having been "struck;" while the established claims continue to yield astonishing sums, the unprospected ones still buoy with hope the hearts of the proprietors. An occasional sensation is gotten up, but as the greater portion of those remaining in the mines are either at work for wages or are claim owners. They prefer to hold on to the bird in the hand to chasing one in the bush. They have, alas! too well learned the truthfulness of the old adage, that "all is not gold that glitters."

The fellow who came near swindling Ballou by depositing blankets filled with beans with him, representing the same to contain \$7000, turns out to be a precious scamp. He is said to have robbed a drunken Siwash of \$124 and a horse. He is also charged with having stolen a mule from Frank Fellows, the packer, and disposed of the same to Mr. Crawford, of Parsonsville.

At Lillooet flour was offering at \$14 @ \$15 per 100 lbs.

ADDITIONAL NEWS.—The steamer Gov. Douglas came in about 12 o'clock yesterday noon from Port Yale via New Westminster, with 51 passengers and \$25,000 in treasure. It is reported that when Justice Gaggin, of Port Douglas, reached Summit Lake to hold an inquest on the body of the man therein found floating that he discovered two other dead bodies floating in the water. One had been killed with an ax and the other had been shot. The three bodies are supposed to be the remains of miners murdered last spring for their dust. It is also reported that John J. Jeffreys, a butcher, has been robbed by highwaymen of a considerable sum in gold dust.

MURDER ON LIGHTNING CREEK.—Capt. Robinson, a well-known resident of British Columbia, was shot and killed at his claim on Lightning Creek, on Saturday the 16th August, under the following circumstances: The captain, with a man whose name we have been unable to obtain, were engaged in packing early in the spring, and having a dispute with his partner sold out his train and bought an interest in a claim on Lightning Creek. The old partnership arrangements, however, were never adjusted, and a great deal of ill-feeling existed between the parties until the date mentioned, when the partner, seeing Robinson at work in the claim, just after dinner, procured a Colt's revolver, and walking to within a few feet of his unsuspecting victim, fired. The ball passed through the poor man's body and he expired soon afterwards. The cold-blooded murderer made his escape and had not been captured at last accounts. Robinson was generally respected.

THE THEATRE.—On Saturday evening "The Brigands" was performed in a manner that gave entire satisfaction to the audience. Misses Sweet, Dean, and Howard, Thayer, Alexander, were all well up in their several roles and merited and received much applause. The little gem of a farce the "Loon of a Lover," in which Mr. John Wood, in his favorite character of Peter Spyk, by his drollery, wit and admirable conception of the part, and Miss Lulu, by her bonhomie and originality of style, won much applause, closed the performance.

AUCTION.—James A. McCrea will hold a sale of groceries, sugar, &c., this morning at 11 o'clock.

A Plea for the Ladies.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—It is really too bad—now don't you think so?—that we poor ladies should daily read in your *hinting* journal about dinners given by the Mayor, and, forsooth, only gentlemen invited. However, I was told *rather* day that his Worshipful Lordship is about to hire the Theatre for a great ball; now, if that be the case, as you know about everybody and about everything, do please insert a line for to *hease* the art of your ever faithful MARY MODERATION.

P. S.—There never was a Mayor born yet that didn't give a great big ball the first thing.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Aug 30—Stmr Thames, Lichte, London
Sch Harriott, Sprague, Port Townsend
Sch Thordike, Winsor, Port Townsend
Sch Winged Kacer, Smart, Port Townsend

DEPARTED.

Aug 30—Bktn Jeany Ford, McCarty, Port Townsend
Sch Thordike, Winsor, Port Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per Stmr THAMES, from London—Wm Vine and two daughters, Mrs Jackson and two sons, eight Kanakas from Sandwich Islands.

IMPORTS.

Per Stmr THAMES, from London—R Rhodes, 38 ccs mds 1 couter for plough; Stamp & Co, 63 ccs mds 20 pgs paper 23 lgs sugar 15 buls molasses; Order, 112 cs 20 hds 150 lbs cogs 297 cs 30 hds 84 sks; W. M. Seaby, 1 cs 10 pgs; H Devereux, 1 cs, 10 pgs; J. A. Carstairs, 1 cs; W. Gamgley, 1 lb; J. Carstairs, 1 cs; 15 chests 50 lb Langley Bros, 21 pgs 7 cs; Thos Wilson, 8 cs; H Nathan, 167 cs 36 pgs 29 cks 5 bds 4 hds; Alfred Fellows, 9 cks 3 cs 5 annis; J C Spalding, 1 cs; Dr Hills, 8 pgs; O Oliver, 1 cs; Dickson, Campbell & Co, 232 l, cks 19 4 do 1 bx same; Jadon & Green, 2 bales; J Jackson, 6 pgs; Q G Alston, 2 cs; C A Chidlow, 1 bx. Value not specified.

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DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

should be in the possession of everybody in the mining region. As a preventive of various dangerous diseases to which the gold seeker is liable, it has no superior. While it is quite palatable even as a beverage, it is speedy and powerful in its effects upon the system. In all cases of Diarrhea, Dysentery and the prevailing fevers consequent upon exposure, the Bitters will be found invaluable as a corrective. No man should enter upon the exposed camp life of a miner without being provided with Hostetter's preventive of stomach disease, nor should any of those who are now engaged in the occupation, fail to have recourse to the Bitters.

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In cases of debility, languor, and nervousness generated by excess of any kind, whether mental or physical, the effect of these Pills is in the highest degree beneficial. They remove all obstructions, drive out from the system the morbid cause of disease; re-establish the digestion, regulate all the secretions, brace the nervous system, raise the patient's spirits, and bring back the frame to its pristine health and vigor. They increase the appetite, while they secure perfect digestion to all ordinary food, and release the invalid from restraint in diet.

A Word to Females.

There are two periods, especially in Woman's life, which require for safe passage, judgment and attention. Irregularity is apt at these critical times to

case. These Pills, safe in action, and effective in result, should be taken at certain periods, and the issue will be marvellous both to the young and the middle

Coughs, Colds, and Asthmas,
No medicine will cure colds so quickly as these Pills, when of long duration or settled on the chest,

ma, they may be relied on as a certain and never failing cure, particularly if the Ointment be well rubbed into the chest and throat night and morning. If this catch the eye of any asthmatical person so bad as even not able to lie down in bed, let him well use these two preparations for only a week, and the result will be marvellous.

More persons die suddenly from diseases of the heart than the unlearned suppose: in such complaints, the bowels should always be kept well open, as also where there is a tendency to blood to the head. This celebrated Pill purifies the blood in an extraordinary manner, and should be taken in copious doses when such symptoms occur, taking care not to overload the stomach; by this means all danger is quickly averted.

Children's Complaints.

It is not generally known, but such is the fact, that

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Bowel Complaints	Fever of all kinds	Rheumatism	Tumours
Calculus	Fits	Retention of Urine	Ulcers
	Gout		

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Disorders of the Bowels	Worms of all kinds		from whatever cause
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N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in

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Then use **JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT**, which will overcome the spasmodic contraction of the wind tubes, and cause them to eject the mucus or matter which clogs them up, and by an easy and free expectoration, remove all difficulty of breathing.

HAVE YOU BRONCHITIS?

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ma tion of the fine skin which lines the inside of the wind tubes or air vessels, spreading through every part of the lungs, is often mistaken for consumption. The Expecto-rant soothes this inflammation, relieves the attending cough, pain, and difficulty of breathing, and, if the case is not of too long standing, will certainly produce a cure.

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HAVE YOU PLEURISY?

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HAVE YOU CROUP?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. Children are subject to no disease more sudden in its attacks, or, in its absence, more prompt relief, none more fatal in its results, than Croup. Parents, therefore, should keep at hand a remedy sure and thorough. Such a remedy may be found in the Expectorant, and every careful mother will find it a valuable helper.

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